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FM AMEMBASSY ISLAMABAD

TO SECSTATE WASHDC FLASH 6125

INFO AMCONSUL KARACHI IMMEDIATE

AMCONSUL LAHORE IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PINS, PK

SUBJECT: PIA HIJACKING

1. PK 301 ENROUTE KARACHI TODAY FROM ISLAMABAD WAS
HIJACKED OVER MULTAN AROUND MID-DAY (EXACT TIME UNKNOWN).
THREE PASSENGERS (2 PAKISTANI, AND ONE BRITISHER - MALCOLM
FIDGE) WERE INJURED WHEN A HAND GRENADE, WHICH THE HIJACKER
WAS CARRYING, EXPLODED. HIJACKER, WHOSE NAME WAS GIVEN AS
SAID MOHAMMAD KHAN, IS UNDERSTOOD TO BE SERIOUSLY INJURED.
PLANE RETURNED ISLAMABAD, WHERE UNINJURED PASSENGERS
INCLUDING AMERICAN COURIER LYLE MORSE AND USAID OFFICIAL,
WILLIAM MCMOIL, WERE TRANSFERRED TO ANOTHER AIRPLANE TO PROCEED
TO KARACHI.

2. HIJACKER'S DEMANDS AND MOTIVES NOT YET KNOW.
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Message Attributes

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